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-- SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION --

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-- BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

Figure 1 shows the device according to the invention;

Figure 2 is a sectional view of an embodiment according to the invention with a flow enclosure for the cooling of the exterior shell of the shift step; and

Figure 3 is a sectional view across the device according to figure 2 along line A-A.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENTS --